



Stable

The United States and Uganda share a common interest in creating the conditions that promote peace and stability throughout the country and the greater East Africa region. Through the years we have built a strong partnership with the Ugandan military to help build a professional force that contributes to these objectives. Last year, we provided training in human rights and peacekeeping methods to more than 5,000 soldiers of the Uganda People's Defence Force. U.S. assistance to ensure Uganda's stability also includes programs that promote peaceful dialogue as a means of avoiding conflict and violence. We are also helping Uganda manage the record number of refugees fleeing regional instability, providing food and shelter to more than one million refugees in a dozen districts. In addition, our funding is creating a world-class capability in Uganda to detect and control infectious disease outbreaks – keeping both Ugandans and people throughout the world safe.

Total U.S. government assistance
to assure a stable Uganda

\$279.6million

UGX **951.2** billion



SPOTLIGHT PROGRAM

Advanced Field Epidemiology Training Program

U.S. government programs like the Advanced Field Epidemiology Training Program (FETP) are creating a cadre of so-called “disease detectives.” The Advanced FETP is a two-year, training-in-service program that aims to equip public health professionals with the skills they need to manage public health challenges. The program also supports the development of Uganda's public health workforce, which helps to keep all citizens, and people around the world, safe and healthy.



A scientist with the Advanced Field Epidemiology Training Program testing samples at a laboratory.



Assistance Focus Areas

- Conflict Mitigation and Reconciliation
- Defense and Peacekeeping
- Refugees
- Global Health Security Agenda

Key Results

- More than **500 traditional and local leaders in western Uganda** received training in conflict resolution methods.
- The U.S. government's Advanced Field Epidemiology Training program has **investigated nearly 50 disease outbreaks** in two years.
- American-funded legal aid programs helped **more than 200 Ugandans peacefully resolve more than 100 land disputes** last year.
- **More than one million refugees in 12 districts** received protection, health care, clean water, and livelihoods training.



**1,122 people
from 20
districts**

received training from
U.S.-funded programs to
prevent land conflicts



Through U.S. assistance, a young child receives a meal at the Bidi Bidi refugee camp in northern Uganda.

**The U.S.
government
contributed \$126.5
million to assist
refugees in Uganda
and vulnerable
populations in
Karamoja.**

